Sinclair has benefited greatly from the Bush administration's push for media consolidation and relaxation of regulations, and now Sinclair is returning the favor.

The power to force its stations to carry a piece of propaganda just three weeks before a national election is an example of what's wrong with the concentration of media under one owner. No one company should have the power to dictate what 1/4 of U.S. television channels carry-we need many sources.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. Thank you.